

The release of the St. Albans raiders produced the wildest excitement, both in this country and in Canada. The order of General Dix, authorizing military officers to pursue raiders across the border and seize them wherever they can be taken, was like a spark falling into a magazine of gunpowder. Such an explosion of feeling, both among the people and throughout the press, has seldom been witnessed. The grand uprising of the North after the bombardment of Fort Sumter, might have been repeated if sufficient provocation had evoked it. The press of the North, almost without distinction of party, gave in a few instances, applauded the order of General Dix. In Canada the alarm was very great. The people over the border saw that war with us was inevitable if the decisions of their inquisitorial Judge was maintained. The Montreal *Witness* thinks the reaction of feeling throughout Canada, against the raiders and the South, will result in a healthier public sentiment toward the North. The Montreal *Herald*, and *Gazette* likewise condemn the decision of Council and the inactivity of the police after the release of the raiders and new warrants for their arrest were issued. The Toronto *Globe*, always favoring the North, saw war between Great Britain and the North, as an inevitable result. The Toronto *Leader*, always inclining to the side of the rebels, is compelled to tack about, and denounces the raiders. These facts are evidence beyond all doubt that Canada has learned to respect the Republic, and to tremble in anticipation of its righteous vengeance. But a few months would elapse, in case of war, before Upper Canada would be wrenched away from the remaining limbs of the Confederacy recently organized and would be lost with all its resources to the other members. The independence of our neighbors on the North would not be of long duration, as it would soon be absorbed into the United States.

## The National Debt of European

## Countries.

The growth of the debt of England, notwithstanding the efforts made to diminish it, is illustrated in the following table:

Year.	Debt.	Year.	Debt.
1871	\$1,000,000,000	1895	\$2,000,000,000
1872	1,000,000,000	1896	2,000,000,000
1873	1,000,000,000	1897	2,000,000,000
1874	1,000,000,000	1898	2,000,000,000
1875	1,000,000,000	1899	2,000,000,000
1876	1,000,000,000	1900	2,000,000,000
1877	1,000,000,000	1901	2,000,000,000
1878	1,000,000,000	1902	2,000,000,000
1879	1,000,000,000	1903	2,000,000,000
1880	1,000,000,000	1904	2,000,000,000
1881	1,000,000,000	1905	2,000,000,000
1882	1,000,000,000	1906	2,000,000,000
1883	1,000,000,000	1907	2,000,000,000
1884	1,000,000,000	1908	2,000,000,000
1885	1,000,000,000	1909	2,000,000,000
1886	1,000,000,000	1910	2,000,000,000
1887	1,000,000,000	1911	2,000,000,000
1888	1,000,000,000	1912	2,000,000,000
1889	1,000,000,000	1913	2,000,000,000
1890	1,000,000,000	1914	2,000,000,000
1891	1,000,000,000	1915	2,000,000,000
1892	1,000,000,000	1916	2,000,000,000
1893	1,000,000,000	1917	2,000,000,000
1894	1,000,000,000	1918	2,000,000,000
1895	1,000,000,000	1919	2,000,000,000
1896	1,000,000,000	1920	2,000,000,000
1897	1,000,000,000	1921	2,000,000,000
1898	1,000,000,000	1922	2,000,000,000
1899	1,000,000,000	1923	2,000,000,000
1900	1,000,000,000	1924	2,000,000,000
1901	1,000,000,000	1925	2,000,000,000
1902	1,000,000,000	1926	2,000,000,000
1903	1,000,000,000	1927	2,000,000,000
1904	1,000,000,000	1928	2,000,000,000
1905	1,000,000,000	1929	2,000,000,000
1906	1,000,000,000	1930	2,000,000,000
1907	1,000,000,000	1931	2,000,000,000
1908	1,000,000,000	1932	2,000,000,000
1909	1,000,000,000	1933	2,000,000,000
1910	1,000,000,000	1934	2,000,000,000
1911	1,000,000,000	1935	2,000,000,000
1912	1,000,000,000	1936	2,000,000,000
1913	1,000,000,000	1937	2,000,000,000
1914	1,000,000,000	1938	2,000,000,000
1915	1,000,000,000	1939	2,000,000,000
1916	1,000,000,000	1940	2,000,000,000
1917	1,000,000,000	1941	2,000,000,000
1918	1,000,000,000	1942	2,000,000,000
1919	1,000,000,000	1943	2,000,000,000
1920	1,000,000,000	1944	2,000,000,000
1921	1,000,000,000	1945	2,000,000,000
1922	1,000,000,000	1946	2,000,000,000
1923	1,000,000,000	1947	2,000,000,000
1924	1,000,000,000	1948	2,000,000,000
1925	1,000,000,000	1949	2,000,000,000
1926	1,000,000,000	1950	2,000,000,000
1927	1,000,000,000	1951	2,000,000,000
1928	1,000,000,000	1952	2,000,000,000
1929	1,000,000,000	1953	2,000,000,000
1930	1,000,000,000	1954	2,000,000,000
1931	1,000,000,000	1955	2,000,000,000
1932	1,000,000,000	1956	2,000,000,000
1933	1,000,000,000	1957	2,000,000,000
1934	1,000,000,000	1958	2,000,000,000
1935	1,000,000,000	1959	2,000,000,000
1936	1,000,000,000	1960	2,000,000,000
1937	1,000,000,000	1961	2,000,000,000
1938	1,000,000,000	1962	2,000,000,000
1939	1,000,000,000	1963	2,000,000,000
1940	1,000,000,000	1964	2,000,000,000
1941	1,000,000,000	1965	2,000,000,000
1942	1,000,000,000	1966	2,000,000,000
1943	1,000,000,000	1967	2,000,000,000
1944	1,000,000,000	1968	2,000,000,000
1945	1,000,000,000	1969	2,000,000,000
1946	1,000,000,000	1970	2,000,000,000
1947	1,000,000,000	1971	2,000,000,000
1948	1,000,000,000	1972	2,000,000,000
1949	1,000,000,000	1973	2,000,000,000
1950	1,000,000,000	1974	2,000,000,000
1951	1,000,000,000	1975	2,000,000,000
1952	1,000,000,000	1976	2,000,000,000
1953	1,000,000,000	1977	2,000,000,000
1954	1,000,000,000	1978	2,000,000,000
1955	1,000,000,000	1979	2,000,000,000
1956	1,000,000,000	1980	2,000,000,000
1957	1,000,000,000	1981	2,000,000,000
1958	1,000,000,000	1982	2,000,000,000
1959	1,000,000,000	1983	2,000,000,000
1960	1,000,000,000	1984	2,000,000,000
1961	1,000,000,000	1985	2,000,000,000
1962	1,000,000,000	1986	2,000,000,000
1963	1,000,000,000	1987	2,000,000,000
1964	1,000,000,000	1988	2,000,000,000
1965	1,000,000,000	1989	2,000,000,000
1966	1,000,000,000	1990	2,000,000,000
1967	1,000,000,000	1991	2,000,000,000
1968	1,000,000,000	1992	2,000,000,000
1969	1,000,000,000	1993	2,000,000,000
1970	1,000,000,000	1994	2,000,000,000
1971	1,000,000,000	1995	2,000,000,000
1972	1,000,000,000	1996	2,000,000,000
1973	1,000,000,000	1997	2,000,000,000
1974	1,000,000,000	1998	2,000,000,000
1975	1,000,000,000	1999	2,000,000,000
1976	1,000,000,000	2000	2,000,000,000
1977	1,000,000,000	2001	2,000,000,000
1978	1,000,000,000	2002	2,000,000,000
1979	1,000,000,000	2003	2,000,000,000
1980	1,000,000,000	2004	2,000,000,000
1981	1,000,000,000	2005	2,000,000,000
1982	1,000,000,000	2006	2,000,000,000
1983	1,000,000,000	2007	2,000,000,000
1984	1,000,000,000	2008	2,000,000,000
1985	1,000,000,000	2009	2,000,000,000
1986	1,000,000,000	2010	2,000,000,000
1987	1,000,000,000	2011	2,000,000,000
1988	1,000,000,000	2012	2,000,000,000
1989	1,000,000,000	2013	2,000,000,000
1990	1,000,000,000	2014	2,000,000,000
1991	1,000,000,000	2015	2,000,000,000
1992	1,000,000,000	2016	2,000,000,000
1993	1,000,000,000	2017	2,000,000,000
1994	1,000,000,000	2018	2,000,000,000
1995	1,000,000,000	2019	2,000,000,000
1996	1,000,000,000	2020	2,000,000,000
1997	1,000,000,000	2021	2,000,000,000
1998	1,000,000,000	2022	2,000,000,000
1999	1,000,000,000	2023	2,000,000,000
2000	1,000,000,000	2024	2,000,000,000
2001	1,000,000,000	2025	2,000,000,000
2002	1,000,000,000	2026	2,000,000,000
2003	1,000,000,000	2027	2,000,000,000
2004	1,000,000,000	2028	2,000,000,000
2005	1,000,000,000	2029	2,000,000,000
2006	1,000,000,000	2030	2,000,000,000
2007	1,000,000,000	2031	2,000,000,000
2008	1,000,000,000	2032	2,000,000,000
2009	1,000,000,000	2033	2,000,000,000
2010	1,000,000,000	2034	2,000,000,000
2011	1,000,000,000	2035	2,000,000,000
2012	1,000,000,000	2036	2,000,000,000
2013	1,000,000,000	2037	2,000,000,000
2014	1,000,000,000	2038	2,000,000,000
2015	1,000,000,000	2039	2,000,000,000
2016	1,000,000,000	2040	2,000,000,000
2017	1,000,000,000	2041	2,000,000,000
2018	1,000,000,000	2042	2,000,000,000
2019	1,000,000,000	2043	2,000,000,000
2020	1,000,000,000	2044	2,000,000,000
2021	1,000,000,000	2045	2,000,000,000
2022	1,000,000,000	2046	2,000,000,000
2023	1,000,000,000	2047	2,000,000,000
2024	1,000,000,000	2048	2,000,000,000
2025	1,000,000,000	2049	2,000,000,000
2026	1,000,000,000	2050	2,000,000,000
2027	1,000,000,000	2051	2,000,000,000
2028	1,000,000,000	2052	2,000,000,000
2029	1,000,000,000	2053	2,000,000,000
2030	1,000,000,000	2054	2,000,000,000
2031	1,000,000,000	2055	2,000,000,000
2032	1,000,000,000	2056	2,000,000,000
2033	1,000,000,000	2057	2,000,000,000
2034	1,000,000,000	2058	2,000,000,000
2035	1,000,000,000	2059	2,000,000,000
2036	1,000,000,000	2060	2,000,000,000
2037	1,000,000,000	2061	2,000,000,000
2038	1,000,000,000	2062	2,000,000,000
2039	1,000,000,000	2063	2,000,000,000
2040	1,000,000,000	2064	2,000,000,000
2041	1,000,000,000	2065	2,000,000,000
2042	1,000,000,000	2066	2,000,000,000
2043	1,000,000,000	2067	2,000,000,000
2044	1,000,000,000	2068	2,000,000,000
2045	1,000,000,000	2069	2,000,000,000
2046	1,000,000,000	2070	2,000,000,000
2047	1,000,000,000	2071	2,000,000,000
2048	1,000,000,000	2072	2,000,000,000
2049	1,000,000,000	2073	2,000,000,000
2050	1,000,000,000	2074	2,000,000,000
2051	1,000,000,000	2075	2,000,000,000
2052	1,000,000,000	2076	2,000,000,000
2053	1,000,000,000	2077	2,000,000,000
2054	1,000,000,000	2078	2,000,000,000
2055	1,000,000,000	2079	2,000,000,000
2056	1,000,000,000	2080	2,000,000,000
2057	1,000,000,000	2081	2,000,000,000
2058	1,000,000,000	2082	2,000,000,000
2059	1,000,000,000	2083	2,000,000,000
2060	1,000,000,000	2084	2,000,000,000
2061	1,000,000,000	2085	2,000,000,000
2062	1,000,000,000	2086	2,000,000,000
2063	1,000,000,000	2087	2,000,000,000
2064	1,000,000,000	2088	2,000,000,000
2065	1,000,000,000	2089	2,000,000,000
2066	1,000,000,000	2090	2,000,000,000
2067	1,000,000,000	2091	2,000,000,000
2068	1,000,000,000	2092	2,000,000,000
2069	1,000,000,000	2093	2,000,000,000
2070	1,000,000,000	2094	2,000,000,000
2071	1,000,000,00		